



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Gilles, et al.

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and Methods of Use

Examiner: Wax, R.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 10 September 2003, please consider the following amendments and remarks. Enclosed herewith please find a petition (including payment) for a two-month extension so as to make this response timely.

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(37 CFR 1.8(a))

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